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Re: Application of Yasuo IIMORI
METHOD FOR PREDICTING BENDING DURABILITY OF ELECTRIC
WIRE AND BEND PROTECTION MEMBER, AND APPARATUS AND
RECORDING MEDIUM STORING PROGRAM THEREFOR
Assignee: YAZAKI CORPORATION
Our Ref: Q88220

Dear Sir:

The following documents and fees are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. §371 and in accordance with the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- an English translation of the International Application.
- 8 sheets (Figures 1-10) of drawings.
- a copy of the ISR, Information Disclosure Statement and PTO SB/09 A & B (modified) listing the ISR references, and a complete copy of each reference.
- it is expressly requested that the national stage of processing be commenced immediately in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 371(f)**

In addition to the documents submitted herewith, it is assumed that copies of the International Application, the International Search Report and cited references, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by §371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned will undertake to provide them upon request.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

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| Base Fee | | | | | | | | | \$300.00 |
| Search Fee* | | | | | | | | | \$400.00 |
| Examination Fee* | | | | | | | | | \$200.00 |
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* The international search fee for all claims was not paid to the USPTO, as the ISA, but the ISR is being submitted herewith.

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Priority is claimed from:

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Respectfully submitted,

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